

Attorney's Docket: 577-126  
Serial No.: N/A  
Art Unit N/A  
Response to Restriction of March 25, 2003

#### REMARKS

In the Office action of March 25, 2003 the Examiner indicated that Group I, claims 1-15, drawn to an emulsion, were classified in class 514/937 and Group II, claims 16-30, drawn to a cosmetic, were classified in class 424/401. The Examiner indicated that the inventions are distinct. Accordingly, Applicant elects the claims of Group I, claims 1-15 for prosecution in the current case and requests that claims 16-30 be cancelled. Applicant reserves the right to submit claims 16-30 in a properly filed continuation application.

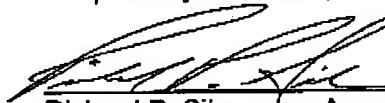
Applicant has attached an Associate power of Attorney appointing new registered practitioners as Applicant's representatives.

Applicant hereby requests that all future correspondence be directed to Customer No. 25255, at the correspondence address shown hereinbelow and in the attached Change of Correspondence Address form.

The Office action of March 25, 2003, required a shortened statutory period for reply which was set for 1 month from March 25, 2003. A one-month extension of time is hereby requested in order to file a reply to the instant Office action. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge a one month extension fee which is believed to be \$110.00 to Deposit Account No. 03-2060

An early and favorable action on the merits is respectfully requested. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency to Deposit Account No. 03-2060.

Respectfully submitted,



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Associate Power of Attorney  
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